

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Mines and Minerals – Grant of Prospecting License for Quartzite & Silica Sand over an extent of 116.05 Acres or 46.944 Hectares in Sy. No.437, Uppalapadu (V), Orvakal (M), Kurnool District in favour of M/s. Hindustan National Glass & Industries Limited, for a period of 2 years -Orders – Issued.

INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE (M-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 101

Dated:19.05.2012  
Read the following:-

1. Prospecting License application of M/s , M/s. Hindustan National Glass & Industries Limited, dated 19.05.2010.
2. From the Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad file No.23051/R4-2/2010, dated 16.02.2012.
3. Govt. Memo. No.2543/M.I(1)/2012, dated 25.04.2012.

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**ORDER:**

In the reference first read above, M/s. Hindustan National Glass & Industries Limited has applied for grant of Prospecting License for Quartzite Silica Sand over an extent of 303.44 Acres in Sy. No.437 of Uppalapadu Village, Orvakal Mandal, Kurnool District, for a period of 3 years. The said application was received by the Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Kurnool on 19.05.2010.

2. In the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, the Director of Mines and Geology has submitted proposals to the Government stating that the Asst. Director of Mines and Geology, Kurnool has reported that, the following four ML/PL applications filed over the subject area :-

Sl. No.	Name of the applicant	Date of application
1.	M/s. Sri Rajan Enterprises, Prop: Sri VSO Balakrishna (PL)	5-3-2010
2.	M/s. SS Logistics, Mg. Partner: Sri B. Siva Ramaiah (PL)	10-3-2010
3.	M/s. Hindustan National Glass Industries & Limited (ML)	7-4-2010
4.	M/s. Hindustan National Glass Industries & Limited (ML)	19-5-2010

3. The Director of Mines and Geology has further reported that, the Asst. Geologist of Asst. Director of Mines & Geology office, Kurnool and Mines Supervisor, O/o. Dy. Director of Mines & Geology, Kurnool have conducted the combined inspection over the subject area on 19.01.2011 in the presence of four applicant firms. He has further reported that, the Sl. 1& 2 applications of the above table are not overlapping with the 4<sup>th</sup> applicant and Sl. No. 3 applicant has withdrawn their Mining Lease application.

4. The Director of Mines and Geology has further stated that, the Tahsildar, Orvakal Mandal vide his Letter No. Rc.No.271/2010, dated 15.02.2011 has issued No Objection Certificate over the subject area in favour of M/s. Hindustan National Glass & Industries Limited. The Director of Mines and Geology has therefore requested the Government to consider the **Prospecting License** application of **M/s. Hindustan National Glass & Industries Limited for Quartzite & Silica Sand** over an extent of **116.05 Acres or 46.944 Hectares** in Sy. No.437, Uppalapadu (V), Orvakal (M), Kurnool District for a **period of 2 years** duly rejecting the earlier Mining Lease application, dated 07.04.2010 of the same applicant company, treating as withdrawn and subject to the provisions of Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and Mineral Concession Rules, 1960.

5. In the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, orders were issued for rejecting the Mining Lease application, dated 07.04.2010 of M/s. Hindustan National Glass Industries & Limited, treating as withdrawn.

6. The Government after careful examination of the proposal of the Director of Mines & Geology hereby grant the **Prospecting License** for **Quartzite & Silica Sand** over an extent of **116.05 Acres or 46.944 Hectares** in Sy. No.437, Uppalapadu (V), Orvakal (M), Kurnool District in favour of **M/s. Hindustan National Glass & Industries Limited** for a **period of 2 years** subject to the provisions of Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 and to the additional conditions specified in the Appendix to this order.

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7. The rate of Prospecting fee will be Rs.5/- (Rupees five only) per hectare of the land covered by the license for each year or portion of a year.

8. The grantee should deposit as security a sum of Rs.2,500/- (Rupees two thousand and five hundred only) per every square kilometer or part thereof as prescribed in Rule 20 of M.C. Rules, 1960 before the license deed is actually executed.

9. The terms and conditions referred to in para 7-8 of this order are subject to such further modifications, additions and alterations as may be ordered before the license deed is executed.

10. The grantee should execute the license deed, within the time limit specified in Rule 15 of M.C. Rules, 1960.

11. The Director of Mines and Geology is requested to take necessary further action for the execution of the Prospecting License deed after satisfying him self that the grantee fulfils all the required provisions of the amended Act and Rules. As soon as the P.L deed is executed, the date of such execution should be reported to the Government.

12. The grant is liable to cancellation, should it be found that it was grossly inequitable or was made under a mistake of fact or owing to misrepresentation or fraud or in excess of authority and also subject to not affecting existing monumental structures in the area.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

D. SREENIVASULU  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

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Pondicherry – 605 502 (BY RPAD).

The Director of Mines &Geology, Hyderabad (with file)

Copy to:

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The Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, Kurnool.  
The District Collector, Kurnool District.  
The Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Mines, Sastry Bhavan,  
New Delhi-110 001.  
The Controller General, Indian Bureau of Mines, Indira Bhavan,  
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The Director General, Mines Safety, Dhanbad, Jarkhand.  
The Regional Controller of Mines, Koti, Hyderabad.  
SF/SC (C. No.12593/M.I(1)/2011)

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SECTION OFFICER